

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 1, lines 4 and 5, amend the headings as follows:

--BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

~~Technical field~~ FIELD OF THE INVENTION--.

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Ux, Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 1, line

--The present invention relates to an anti-skid system for vehicle wheels, in particular a system with radial support elements, which is intended to be placed on the wheel of a vehicle and positioned automatically on the ~~tyre~~ tire upon the first revolutions during movement of the vehicle. The invention also relates to a device for fixing this system, apt to be clamped onto a bolt of the wheel rim.--

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 1, line 24, with the following rewritten paragraph:

--The bush is composed of a jaw-like arrangement which can be clamped onto the bolt by screwing a liner onto a deformable internal body. The bush is fixed onto the bolt of the rim by way of a preliminary operation before mounting the whole anti-skid system onto the wheel. Since, however, this operation must be performed with the aid of a tool and is somewhat difficult, normally it is performed at the start of the winter season and the bush is then left for a long period of time mounted on the vehicle rim, with the drawbacks which can be imagined. Following this operation, at need (for example in the